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**Applicant** Ian S. Malpass et al.

**Serial No.** 10/662,956

**Title** Slip Resistant Mat

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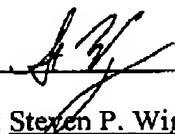
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